#### COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS

## **AGENDA**

# TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2013

The Conference Room

5:00 o'clock P.M.

## WATER SUPPLY BOARD

- 1.) <u>RICHARD A. BIAGETTI</u>, 13-516. Compensation for damages sustained on July 16, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges rusty water at his home during the replacement of a water pipe on Lake Street.
- 2.) <u>NATHAN KAUFMAN</u>, 13-498. Compensation for damages sustained on August 6, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges his driveway was cracked and the concrete broken during work to repair his street.

Beausoleil & Sons Inc. \$1,650.00 Piccoli Paving & Construction \$2,325.00

3.) <u>ANTHONY LIBERATORE</u>, 13-290. Compensation for damages sustained on January 1, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges a water break caused his driveway to sink and crack. (Continued June 24, 2013; Continued October 1, 2013)

Narragansett Improvement Company \$7,250.00 PLC Services, LLC \$7,625.00

4.) <u>CARMEN MARRERO (Joseph J. Voccola, Esquire)</u>, 13-467. Compensation for injuries sustained on September 10, 2012, whereby petitioner fell, allegedly due to a protruding, un-capped water pipe.

Claim \$100,000.00

5.) NATIONAL GRID, 13-495. Compensation for damages sustained on November 26, 2012, whereby petitioner alleges workers from the Water Supply Board struck a gas line on Manton Avenue with a backhoe.

Claim \$8,063.70

6.) <u>HEIDI L. PERREAULT</u>, 13-507. Compensation for damages sustained on October 5, 2013, whereby petitioner struck an exposed water pipe/cover on Admiral Street.

State Auto Body \$3,347.63 Rhode Island Collision Service, Inc. \$4,213.92

- 7.) <u>BARBARA RUBINE</u>, 13-47. Compensation for damages sustained, whereby petitioner alleges constant episodes of sediment filled water. (Continued June 24, 2013; Continued October 1, 2013)
- 8.) <u>PELAGIA TORRES (David A. Ursillo, Esquire)</u>, 11-6. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on December 5, 2010, whereby petitioner was traveling on Elmwood Avenue onto Sprague Street when she hit a sheet of ice and lost control of her vehicle, causing her to hit a hole, allegedly due to work being done by the Water Supply Board.
- 9.) PELAGIA TORRES and LISSETTE TORRES p.p.a. ANAISE DELGADO, 11-13. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on December 5, 2010, whereby petitioners were involved in an accident on Elmwood Avenue, allegedly due to work being done by the Water Supply Board.
- 10.) <u>VERIZON</u>, 13-282. Compensation for damages sustained on March 22, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges damage to a fiber optic cable during the repair of a water leak.

# **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

11.) <u>AMICA a/s/o KEVIN J. ROONEY</u>, 13-318. Compensation for damages sustained, whereby petitioner hit a raised manhole cover. (Continued October 1, 2013)

Claim \$2,382.39

12.) <u>SONJA M. BARON</u>, 13-494. Compensation for damages sustained on September 25, 2013, whereby a rock thrown from a weed whacker allegedly broke petitioner's car window.

Safelite Auto Glass

\$292.84

13.) SHANNON M. CAVALIERI, 13-456. Compensation for damages sustained on September 2, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a pothole at the corner of Lockwood and Plain Streets. Premier Toyota of Newport \$194.01 14.) T. CECILE DROUIN, 13-454. Compensation for damages sustained on August 26, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Route 6. Burriville Motor Sales, Inc. \$185.13 Norm's Auto Sales & Service LLC \$188.94 15.) KRISTIN A. EBER, 13-522. Compensation for damages sustained on October 3, 2013, whereby petitioner struck a raised sewer cap while driving through road construction on Charles Street. 16.) PHIL FERRANTE, 13-168. Compensation for damages sustained on March 2, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Orms Street. Motor Cars International \$172.74 17.) JUDITH A. FREDERICKSON, 13-511. Compensation for damages sustained on September 20, 2013, whereby petitioner struck an exposed gas lid while driving through construction on Chalkstone Avenue. THE GENESIS CENTER, 13-303. Compensation for damages sustained on July 20, 2012, August 11, 2012, August 17, 2012 and September 1, 2012, whereby petitioner alleges a series of sewer back-ups. Claim \$53,713.00

MARY IANNUCCI, 13-457. Compensation for injuries sustained on August 13, 2013, whereby petitioner tripped and fell, allegedly due to a raised sewer cover, on Reservoir Avenue.

\$100,000.00 Claim

CHARLES K. JONES, 13-489. Compensation for damages sustained on 20.) September 24, 2013, whereby petitioner struck a raised manhole cover.

Broadway Tire, Inc. \$1,397.60 21.) SHERRY KAUFMAN and GARY SHARP, 13-427. Compensation for damages sustained on July 18, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges improper street maintenance cause damage to their vehicle. (Continued October 1, 2013) 22.) DEBRA LANOUE, 13-356. Compensation for damages sustained on June 7, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on Chalkstone Avenue. Elegant Auto \$300.00 JUDGE HOWARD T. LIPSEY, 13-19. Compensation for damages 23.) sustained on December 23, 2012, whereby petitioner hit a hole on Blackstone Boulevard. Town Fair Tire \$200.50 24.) MIGUELINA LIRIANO, 13-458. Compensation for damages sustained on July 21, 2013, whereby petitioner struck a bump at the intersection of Lenox Avenue and Melrose Street. Alpine Auto Body, Inc. \$2,468.20 MUSTAFA LYNCH, 13-461. Compensation for damages sustained on July 23, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a protruding manhole cover on Sackett Street. Brother's Auto Repair \$1,546.00 COLLEEN MCCARTHY, 13-482. Compensation for damages sustained on 26.) September 15, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a sinkhole on Eaton Street. Nissan West Warwick \$835.26 HELEN MADDALENA (Robert J. Levine, Esquire), 13-518. Compensation for injuries sustained on September 21, 2013, whereby petitioner fell on the sidewalk in front of Rhode Island Hospital. MCKINLEY R. ODOM, JR., 13-512. Compensation for damages sustained 28.) on August 24, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a manhole cover on Warrington

\$655.00

Street.

Stevie D's Auto Sales & Service

- 29.) ROSE A. PALMIERI, 13-459. Compensation for damages sustained on April 8, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole in front of 700 Plainfield Street.
- 30.) <u>GEORGE V. PARRILLO</u>, 13-488. Compensation for damages sustained on September 22, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a pothole at Eaton Street.

Providence Auto Body \$3,312.50 Rego's Auto Body \$1,899.36

31.) <u>ALEX PEGUERO</u>, 13-450. Compensation for damages sustained on August 20, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a pothole on South Angell Street.

West Fountain Auto Sales & Body, Inc. \$335.90 Town Fair Tire \$339.02

- 32.) <u>NICHOLAS A. RECA SR.</u>, 13-460. Compensation for damages sustained on April 8, 2011, whereby petitioner hit a pothole in front of 700 Plainfield Street.
- 33.) <u>SHAWN ROBBINS</u>, 13-513. Compensation for damages sustained on May 18, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges his fence was damaged by DPW workers.

Wood & Wire Fence \$815.58 Eagle Fence \$550.00

- 34.) <u>DIANA TRIBOUILLIER</u>, 13-455. Compensation for damages sustained on August 28, 2013, whereby petitioner drove over a sewer cap.
- 35.) <u>ROBERT VINGI</u>, 13-474. Compensation for damages sustained on August 5, 2013, whereby petitioner struck a raised sewer cap at the intersection of Prospect and Olney Avenue.
- 36.) <u>CESAR A. ZULETA</u>, 13-357. Compensation for damages sustained on March 18, 2013, whereby petitioner hit a hole on Bowdoin Street. (Denied October 1, 2013)

Grasso's Auto Sales

## **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PROPERTY**

37.) <u>LIBERTY MUTUAL INSURANCE a/s/o BRUNILDA LARIOS</u>, 12-231. Compensation for damages sustained on July 20, 2012, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a city vehicle. (Continued October 1, 2013)

Claim \$5,722.66

### FIRE DEPARTMENT

38.) <u>LIBERTY MUTUAL a/s/o VALARIE RANKIN</u>, 13-490. Compensation for damages sustained on April 9, 2013, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Fire Department vehicle.

Claim \$2,299.82

39.) <u>ELIZABETH RAMIREZ</u>, 13-477. Compensation for damages sustained on August 3, 2013, whereby petitioner's parked vehicle was allegedly struck by a Fire Department vehicle.

Solution Auto Body \$1,553.00 Ralph and Sons \$1,737.30

#### PARKS DEPARTMENT

40.) ROBERT TURCHETTI, 13-470. Compensation for damages sustained on August 22, 2013, whereby petitioner's vehicle was struck by a baseball while driving on Killingly Street going past Neutaconkanut Park.

Rego's Auto Body \$3,209.49 Rhode Island Collision Service, Inc. \$1,598.01

41.) <u>RUTH LEROUX</u>, 13-478. Compensation for damages sustained on August 16, 2013, whereby petitioner alleges her son's phone was stolen while at a City pool.

**ASJM Computers** 

\$120.00

### **SUITS**

- 42.) ANGIE BEJARANO and CIORMARIS TORRES (Robert Testa, Esquire) vs. the CITY of PROVIDENCE, 09-466. Compensation for injuries and damages sustained on or about August 5, 2003, whereby petitioners were involved in an accident with a Police Department vehicle driven by Officer Robert Heaton. (Continued November 9, 2010; Continued January 31, 2011; Continued March 28, 2011; Continued May 2, 2011)
- 43.) ROSE FERNANDEZ (Christopher E. Fay, Esquire) vs. the CITY OF PROVIDENCE, 08-375. Compensation for injuries sustained on October 10, 2013, whereby petitioner was involved in an accident with a Police Department vehicle.
- 44.) <u>KEVIN A. RAMIREZ (Henry S. Monti, Esquire) vs. FIRST STUDENT ET AL and the CITY OF PROVIDENCE,</u> 09-244. Compensation for injuries sustained on or about February 11, 2019, whereby petitioner's wheelchair became stuck and jammed in the school bus door, allegedly causing him severe, permanent personal injuries.

Claim \$100,000.00

45.) <u>KEVIN A. RAMIREZ (Henry S. Monti, Esquire) vs. FIRST STUDENT ET AL and the CITY OF PROVIDENCE,</u> 09-417. Compensation for injuries sustained on or about February 11, 2019, whereby petitioner alleges his wheelchair became stuck and jammed in the school bus door while exiting the bus.

Claim \$100,000.00

46.) <u>DONALD TELLIER (Thomas D. Goldberg, Esquire)</u> vs. the <u>CITY of PROVIDENCE</u>, 09-467. Compensation for injuries sustained on July 18, 2009, whereby petitioner tripped and fell on the sidewalk on Snow Street.

Claim \$1,000,000.00

PER ORDER OF THE COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND PENDING SUITS Councilman Nicholas J. Narducci, Chairman